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Remarks:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated 04/25/02. Claims 1-7 are now in this application and claims 1-7 were rejected. Reconsideration and allowance of claims 1-7 is respectfully requested for the reasons explained below.

The applicant's invention involves capturing data related to the operation of a communication system (for example, CDR records), communicating this data to a server, and then examining the data in order to identify the communication system. The embodiment shown has a number of different PBX systems. Each PDX system generates CDR records. The CDR records are sent to a server. The server analyses the CDR records in order to identify the PBX system, that is in order to determine which type of PBX system generated the records. For example, the model and manufacturer of the PBX might be identified. Once the